AMD#5 Adopted- air quality study

Delegates Manchin, Fleischauer, Ireland, Anderson and Campbell move to amend the bill on page 65, line 11, by inserting a new section 18, to read as follows:

22-6A-18. Air quality study and rulemaking.

The secretary shall, by July 1, 2012, report to the Legislature on the need for further regulation of air pollution occurring from well sites, including the possible health impacts, the need for air quality inspections during drilling, the need for inspections of compressors, pits and impoundments, and any other potential air quality impacts that could be generated from this type of drilling activity that could harm human health or the environment. If he or she finds that specialized permit conditions are necessary, the Secretary shall promulgate legislative rules establishing these new requirements.